

DECLARATION

We, Max Hineman and Guy T. Blalock, declare that: (1) our respective citizenships and mailing addresses are indicated below; (2) we have reviewed and understand the contents of the specification identified below, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to herein, (3) we believe that we are the original, first, and joint inventors of the subject matter in

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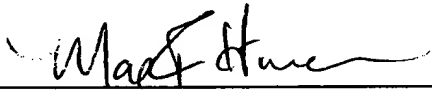
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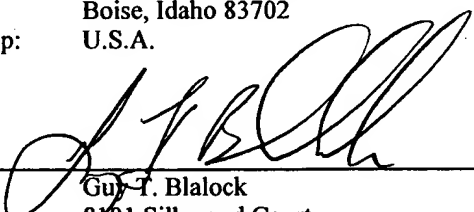
described and claimed therein and for which a patent is sought; and (4) we hereby acknowledge our duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.*

The undersigned declare further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Wherefore, we pray that Letters Patent be granted to us for the invention described and claimed in the specification identified above and we hereby subscribe our names to the foregoing specification and claims, Declaration and Power of Attorney, on the date indicated below.


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ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§3.71 AND 3.73 AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The undersigned, being Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as set forth below or filed herewith, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. §3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventor(s).

The Assignee hereby revokes any previous Powers of Attorney and appoints: Ann M. Muetting (Reg. No. 33,977); Kevin W. Raasch (Reg. No. 35,651); Mark J. Gebhardt (Reg. No. 35,518); Amelia A. Buharin (Reg. No. 38,835); Victoria A. Sandberg (Reg. No. 41,287); Mark A. Hollingsworth (Reg. No. 38,491); Paul B. Simboli (Reg. No. 38,616); David L. Provence (Reg. No. 43,022); Michael L. Lynch (Reg. No. 30,871); Lia M. Pappas (Reg. No. 34,095); W. Eric Webostad (Reg. No. 35,406); Walter M. Fields (Reg. No. 37,130); Charles B. Brantley, II (Reg. No. 38,086); Susan B. Collier (Reg. No. 34,566); Kevin D. Martin (Reg. No. 37,882); and David J. Paul (Reg. No. 34,692)

as its attorney or agent (with full powers of appointment, substitution, and revocation) to prosecute the application, and any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination, or reissue thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith, and to receive any Letters Patent.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §3.73, the undersigned certifies that the evidentiary documents have been reviewed, specifically the Assignment to Micron Technology, Inc. referenced below, and certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, title remains in the name of the Assignee.

Please direct all communications as follows:

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ASSIGNEE: Micron Technology, Inc.

Date: Feb 2, 1999

By: [Signature]
Name: Michael L. Lynch
Title: Chief Patent Counsel

ASSIGNMENT:

X Concurrently filed herewith for recording, a copy of which is attached hereto.

ASSIGNMENT

Whereas We, Max Hineman and Guy T. Blalock, with residences and citizenships as indicated below; have made an invention in

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and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon;

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, we have individually and jointly agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto Micron Technology, Inc. ("Company"), a corporation of Boise, Idaho, having its principal office at 8000 South Federal Way, Boise, Idaho 83707, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application, and in and to any division or continuation (in whole or in part) of said application, and in and to any and all improvements in said invention made by us or any of us or made jointly with others (provided any such improvement is made during, or within one year after the termination of, the employment by the Company of whichever of us, solely or jointly with one or more others, has made the same), and in and to any and all Letters Patent, reexaminations, reissues, or extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted thereon or on any divisional, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reexamination, reissue, or other or further application based in whole or in part upon said invention or improvements thereon, to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by us or any of us had this assignment and transfer not been made;

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments, and documents, and to perform such other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its right, title, and interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in any and all countries;

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of said applications, to Micron Technology, Inc. as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto signed our names on the days and years set forth below.

Max Hineman

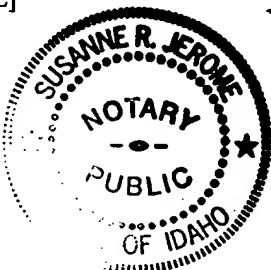
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COUNTY OF Ada)

On this 2nd day of June 1999 before me personally appeared Max Hineman to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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Susanne R. Jerome
Notary Public

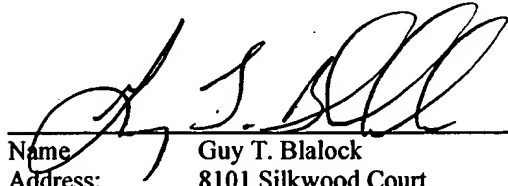
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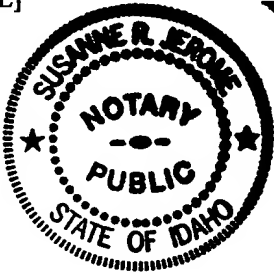

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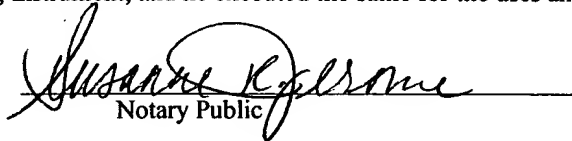
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On this 2nd day of June 1999 before me personally appeared Guy T. Blalock to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY

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Sir:

The undersigned attorney of record in the above-identified patent application hereby appoints:

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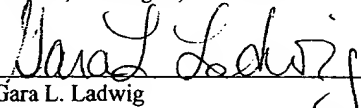
to act as associate agent, and empowers the associate agent to receive all correspondence from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, to amend the specification and drawings, to prosecute the application; and ratifies any act done by the associate agent in respect of the application or any related application thereto.

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10:

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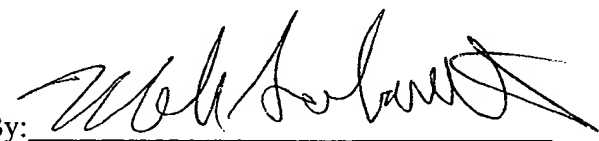
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